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## Federal Opportunities

**Prevention of Viral Hepatitis among High-Risk Youth Through Integrating Prevention Services into Existing Programs.** *Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds for a cooperative agreement program to evaluate the feasibility and effectiveness of integrating activities to prevent infection with Hepatitis A, B, and C Virus into existing programs that serve high-risk adolescent populations. Eligible applicants include public and private non-profit organizations and State and local government or their bona fide agents. The deadline date is July 1, 2002. Approximately \$150,000 is available to fund one award. For further information contact Renee Benyard, 770 488-2777; Email: [bnb8@cdc.gov](mailto:bnb8@cdc.gov). Also see <http://www.cdc.gov> "Funding" then "Grants and Cooperative Agreements". This grant is subject to "Inter-governmental Review" under EO 12372.

**Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) Follow-up Registry and Surveillance of TBI in the Emergency Department (ED).** *The Department of Health and Human Services*, announces funds for a follow-up registry that collects and analyzes information on outcomes of TBI and develop existing surveillance of TBI in the ED. Eligible applicants include public and private nonprofit organizations; State and local governments or their bona fide agents, universities, colleges, research institutions, and hospitals. The deadline date is June 15, 2002. Approximately \$650,000 is available to fund one award. For further information contact Nancy Pillar, 770 488-2721; Email: [nfp6@cdc.gov](mailto:nfp6@cdc.gov). This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372.

**Building Regional Coalitions to Promote Patient Safety.** *The Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to support and develop a regional coalition that combines the efforts of major healthcare stakeholders to promote patient safety by preventing adverse events associated with healthcare, including evaluation of prevention effectiveness and cost effectiveness. Eligible applicants include public and private nonprofit organizations; State and local government or their bona fide agents; universities, colleges, research institutions and hospitals. The deadline is July 5, 2002. Approximately \$100,000 is available to fund one award. For further information contact Yolanda Sledge, 770 488-2787; Email: [vis0@cdc.gov](mailto:vis0@cdc.gov). This grant is subject to "Inter-governmental Review" - Executive Order 12372.

**Parenting Program Attrition and Compliance Efficacy Trial.** *The Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to test strategies and techniques for reducing attrition and enhancing compliance with existing parenting programs for the prevention of child maltreatment. Eligible applicants include public and private nonprofit organizations, State and local governments or their bona-fide agents, universities, colleges, research institutions and hospitals. The deadline is June 24, 2002. Approximately \$400,000 is available to fund one to two awards, ranging from \$200,000 to \$400,000. For further information contact Angie N. Nation, 770 488-2719, Email: [aen4@cdc.gov](mailto:aen4@cdc.gov). This grant program is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under Executive Order 12372.

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## **Community Food and Nutrition Program (CFNP).**

*The Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to improve the coordination and integration of health and social services for all low-income families, and to identify opportunities for collaboration with other programs and services for this population. Eligible applicants include State and local governments, public and private nonprofit agencies/organizations. The deadline is July 8, 2002. Approximately \$2,400,000 is available for a number of awards not to exceed \$50,000. For further information contact Catherine Rivers on 202 401-9354 or OCS operation Center at 1-800-281-9519. Email: [OCS@legnet.com](mailto:OCS@legnet.com). Also see, <http://www.acf.dhhs.gov/programs/ocs/kitsl.htm>. This grant program is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under Executive Order 12372.

## **Fellowship Training Program in Vector-Borne Infectious Diseases.**

*The Department of Health and Human Services*, announces funds to improve the ability of the U.S. public health system to respond to the problem of vector-borne infectious diseases by increasing the number of specialists. Eligible applicants include public and private nonprofit organizations, State and local government or their bona fide agents, universities, colleges, research institutions and hospitals. The deadline is July 5, 2002. Approximately \$750,000 is available to fund 2 to 3 awards ranging from \$200,000 to \$300,000. For further information contact Rene' Benyard, 770 488-2722, Email: [bnb8@cdc.gov](mailto:bnb8@cdc.gov). This grant program is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under Executive Order 12372.

## **Capacity Building for Traditionally Underserved Populations.**

*The Department of Education* announces funds to support projects that provide training, technical assistance, or related activities to improve services provided under the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, especially services provided to individuals from minority backgrounds. Eligible applicants include Historically Black colleges, or universities; Hispanic serving institutions of higher education, and public or private nonprofit organizations. The deadline is June 24, 2002. Approximately \$2,558,320 is available. For further information contact Ellen Chesley, 202 205-9481; Email: [Ellen.Chesley@ed.gov](mailto:Ellen.Chesley@ed.gov). This grant program is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under Executive Order 12372.

## **Ecstasy, Other Club Drugs, Methamphetamine and Inhalant Prevention Infrastructure Development Cooperative Agreement.**

*The Department of Health and Human Services, SAMHSA*, announces funds to address either one of the following topics: Ecstasy and other club drug prevention infrastructure development and Methamphetamine and/or inhalant prevention infrastructure development. Eligible applicants include units of State and local governments, domestic private nonprofit organizations, community-based/faitth-based organizations, nonprofit managed care and other health care delivery systems; universities, colleges and local law enforcement agencies. The deadline is July 10, 2002. Approximately \$4 Million is available to fund 12 awards up to \$350,000 each for one year. For further information contact Soledad Sambrano, or Pamela C. Roddy, 301 443-9110; Email: [ssambran@samhsa.gov](mailto:ssambran@samhsa.gov) or [proddy@samhsa.gov](mailto:proddy@samhsa.gov). This grant program is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under Executive Order 12372.

## **District Opportunities**

### **Domestic Violence Program Grant.**

*The District of Columbia's Department of Human Services/Income Maintenance Administration (DHS/IMA)* has grant funds available through its Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Program to assist eligible customers to overcome barriers to self-sufficiency due to domestic violence. DHS/IMA intends to award one or more grants for a total amount of \$120,000, for the provision of screening, assessment, and supportive services for TANF customers experiencing domestic violence. The deadline for submission is June 10, 2002 at 5:00 p.m. Applications may be obtained from 441 4th Street, NW, Suite 400 South, Washington, DC 20001 or [www.cfo.washingtondc.gov](http://www.cfo.washingtondc.gov). For additional information please contact the Office of Research and Analysis at 202-727-7775.

### **Still Open. Refugee Children School Impact Grant.**

*The District of Columbia Public Schools Office of Bilingual Education (OBE)* is soliciting applications from qualified Local Education Agency's and Community-Based Organizations to provide family outreach and student support. OBE

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provides quality educational services to English language learners and their families. The services provided helps students attain English language proficiency and be academically successful. OBE has \$129,702.00 available for two grant awards. The Request for Application (RFA) will be released on May 6, 2002, and the deadline for submission is June 7, 2002, at 5:00 p.m. Applications may either be obtained from 441 4th Street, NW, 400 South, Washington, DC 20001 or on the Chief Financial Officers website. The RFA will be available on the website, [www.cfo.washingtondc.gov](http://www.cfo.washingtondc.gov), no later than May 9<sup>th</sup>. For additional information please call the Office of Research and Analysis (ORA) at 202-727-7775.

**Still Open. Grants for the Arts.** *The DC Commission on the Arts and Humanities* announces grant funds to support District of Columbia artists and arts and community organizations. Grants will be awarded in a variety of program areas. Deadlines range from May 2 through December 5, 2002 for the first round of awards. For more information about the funding programs call (202) 724-5613 or visit <http://dcarts.dc.gov>.

## Foundation Opportunities

**Education Venture and Teacher Grants.** *The National Geographic Society* has two upcoming grant opportunities. For both, contact: NGSEF, 1145 17<sup>th</sup> St., NW, Washington, DC 20036; (202)857-7186. [www.nationalgeographic.com/foundation](http://www.nationalgeographic.com/foundation).

**Grants supporting nontraditional projects** that engage children in understanding cultures, using geographic concepts and skills, and building their skills to make decisions based on environmental conservation. Grants range from \$50,000 to \$200,000. Nonprofit and educational organizations may apply.

**Grants for educators** supporting their work in the classroom, school, district and community. Grants up to \$5000 are available to help teachers carry out innovative geography-education projects. Teachers and administrators currently employed at accredited schools may apply. Applications may be submitted online.

**National Business Plan Competition for Nonprofit Organizations.** *The Yale School of Management, the Goldman Sachs Foundation, and the Pew Charitable Trusts* have joined together to form the Partnership on Nonprofit Ventures. The Partnership is currently accepting entries for its National Business Plan Competition for Nonprofit Organizations, which will award grants and technical assistance to nonprofits seeking to start or expand successful profit-making ventures. The competition will award \$100,000 to four grand-prize winners, and \$25,000 to four semi-finalists. In addition to cash awards, winners will receive technical business planning consultations to assist their organizations in moving their earned-income ventures forward. To be eligible, nonprofit organizations must: have established 501(c)(3) status; be headquartered in the United States; be in the planning stages of establishing an earned-income business venture, or have an earned-income venture in operation for no more than twenty-four months as of August 30, 2002. The applicant venture may be a nonprofit subsidiary, a for-profit subsidiary, or a program of a nonprofit organization. Entrants may operate or seek to operate various types of business ventures. There is no minimum or maximum annual budget requirement. Please see the Partnership on Nonprofit Ventures for complete competition guidelines and entry procedures and forms:

<http://ventures.yale.edu/aboutcompetition.asp>

**Scholarships for Students Engaged in Community Service.** *Target Stores* will award four \$10,000 and over 2100 \$1000 scholarships for higher education to cover costs and fees to high school seniors, high school graduates and current college students (age 24 and under) who are or will be enrolled in full-time undergraduate course of study. For rules and application forms, visit the Target All-Around Scholarships Information webpage at [www.target.com/target\\_group/community/community\\_scholarships.html](http://www.target.com/target_group/community/community_scholarships.html). The telephone number is (800)316-6142.

**Strengthening Environmental Organizations.** *The Environmental Support Center* provides funds for training and technical assistance to strengthen nonprofits in areas such as fundraising, organizational development, and planning. Eligible applicants include regional, statewide, local grass

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roots environmental organizations serving low-income or minority constituencies. Contact: ESC, 4420 Connecticut Ave., NW, Suite 2, Washington, DC 20008, (202)966-9834, [www.envsc.org](http://www.envsc.org).

## Resources & Announcements

**DC Youth Advisory Council.** *The City Council of the District of Columbia passed and Mayor Anthony A. Williams signed a bill creating a DC Youth Advisory Council. The Youth Council will be made up of 32 youths, ages 13 to 22, who will advise city and community leaders on policies and programs that affect them. The Council will also train youth for leadership positions and help bridge the gap between adults and youth. For more information on how to get involved, contact Hala Harik at (202) 727-2822.*

**AccuFund Accounting Suite for Nonprofits.** *NPO Resources and AccuFund, Inc. will hold a free seminar at the Washington Council of Agencies, 1001 Connecticut Ave., NW, Suite 925, Washington, DC on May 29, 2002 at 10:00 am to 12:00 noon. The seminar will give an overview and demo AccuFund, a full accounting suite designed specifically to provide the simplicity of some of the off-the-shelf Windows products with the functionality required to effectively manage the complex reporting requirements of nonprofits organizations. To register and for more information, contact Vince O'Brien at 301/622-1256 or [vobrien@nporesourcescorp.com](mailto:vobrien@nporesourcescorp.com).*

**Putting Fun into Fundraising.** *The DC Lottery and Charitable Games Control Board, Charitable Games Division announces a free workshop to show you how to develop financially successful Monte Carlo Night Parties, Raffles and Bingo events. The workshop includes hands-on training in licensing and application procedures, as well as gaming demonstrations. The workshop is Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> from 8:30am to 4pm at Southeastern University, 501 I Street SW, Washington, DC. Admission is free and lunch will be provided by the DC Charitable Fundraising Association, Inc. Seating is limited and no more than 2 representatives per organization may attend. To reserve you space, download the registration form from <http://opgd.dc.gov>. You are also welcome to call (202) 645-8071 to RSVP.*

**Postponement Public-Private Partnership Conference.** *The DC Office of Partnerships and Grants Development announces that the fourth annual public-private partnership conference which was scheduled to be held on June 6<sup>th</sup> at George Washington University's Marvin Center is being postponed. For more information, contact (202) 727-8900 or [opgd@dc.gov](mailto:opgd@dc.gov).*

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